OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Statement of wholesale and retail prices in Bangalore City for the week ending Saturday, the 29th October 1938.

Food Articles	Quality	Seers	Lbs. per bag	Rate	Market report	Retail prices
Food Grains and Pulses—				Rs. a. p. Rs. a. p.		
Rice ...	Guntoor, per palla ...	100	246	12 8 0 to 13 8 0	...	7 to 7¾ seers per rupee
	Mysore Kaddi, per palla.	100	246	11 8 0 to 12 8 0		8 to 8¼ ,,
Ragi ...	Duyam (Black), per cart-load.	640	...	36 0 0 to 37 0 0	...	16 to 16½ ,,
	Superior (Red), per cart-load.	640	...	38 0 0 to 39 0 0	...	
Tur ...	Gulberga ...	...	...	.....	...	8 to 8¼ ,,
Tur (Dal) ...	.....	...	...	.....	...	5 to 6¼ ,,
Avare ...	.....	...	...	.....	...	7¾ to 8¼ ,,
Avare (Dal) ...	.....	...	...	.....	...	6¾ to 7¼ ,,
Oils and Oil Seeds—						
Oils ...	Sweet oil ...	...	26¼	4 4 0	...	Re. 0-2-0 per viss
	Castor oil ...	...	28	3 12 0	...	,, 0-1-9
Oil seeds ...	Gingelly or til seeds, per candy.	255	...	25 0 0 to 30 0 0	...	
	Castor seed, per candy...	255	...	20 0 0 to 20 8 0		
Other Food Articles—						
Sugar ...	White Bura ...	...	25	3 6 0 to 3 7 0	...	Re. 0-7-0 per viss to 0-7-6
	Kolar Bura ...	...	25	3 4 0 to 3 5 0	...	
Jaggery ...	Achu	...	28	2 8 0 to 2 12 0	...	Re. 0-5-0 per viss to 0-6-0.
	Oonde	...	28	2 4 0 to 2 8 0	...	
Ghee ...	Superior (Mandya) ...	...	26¼	13 0 0	...	Rs. 1-12-0 per viss.
Salt ...	Bombay Salt (Black) ...	105	...	7 4 0	...	14 seers per rupee

BANGALORE,
Dated 31st October 1938.

V. VENKATACHAR,
For *Director*.

MYSORE STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH.

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE STATE.

FOR THE WEEK ENDED THURSDAY, OCTOBER 27, 1938.

A total of 80 attacks with 50 deaths from Plague was returned during the week against 58 attacks with 39 deaths in the previous week. Mysore City reported three attacks with six deaths while Bangalore City and Kolar Gold Field Area remained free from the disease. Comparative figures for the corresponding week in 1937 and 1936 were 93 attacks with 40 deaths and 19 attacks with 9 deaths, respectively.

A total of nil attack with one death from Small-pox was reported from one village in Hassan Taluk.

The State remained free from Cholera, Influenza and Relapsing Fever.

The total mortality for Bangalore City amounted to 119 (45 in hospitals) representing a calculated death-rate of 29·2 (18·1 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 26·6 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes the deaths numbered 7 under Typhoid, 1 under other Fevers, 8 under Phthisis, 16 under Dysentery and Diarrhoea and 87 under all other causes. The reported mortality was normal.

During the week the Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, returned 68 deaths (14 in hospitals) representing a calculated death-rate of 24·3 (19·3 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as againt 20·9 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes the deaths were Malaria 1, Pneumonia 4, Typhoid 5, Phthisis 3, Dysentery and Diarrhoea 12, and all other causes 43. The reported mortality was normal.

The total mortality for Mysore City was 70 (14 in hospitals) representing a calculated death-rate of 29·3 (23·4 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 33·6 for the corresponding week of last year. Classsified according to causes the deaths were Plague 6, Malaria 2, Other Fevers 1, Phthisis 5, Dysentery and Diarrhoea 5, and all other Causes 51. The reported mortality was normal.

There were 54 deaths (12 in hospitals) from all causes in Kolar Gold Field Area equivalent to a calculated death-rate of 53·7 (26·2 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 23·6 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes the deaths numbered 1 under Malaria, 4 under Other Fevers, 1 under Phthisis, 6 under Dysentry and Diarrhoea and 42 under All Other Causes. The reported mortality was normal.

P. PARTHASARATHY,
Director.

MYSORE GOVERNMENT METEOROLOGICAL DEPARTMENT.

Monthly Means of 8 A.M. *Meteorological Observations for September* 1938.

Height of Observatory above mean sea level	BANGALORE 3,021 ft.	MYSORE 2,518 ft.	HASSAN 3,149 ft.	CHITALDRUG 2,405 ft.	BALEHONNUR 2,917 ft.	NANDI HILL 4,851 ft.
Pressure (red. to 32° F.) ...	26·889	27·377	26·771	27·463	26·993	...
Temperature in shade :—						
Dry Bulb ...	69·5	72·0	69·6	71·7	68·0	63·5
Maximum ...	80·0	82·8	81·2	82·3	76·1	70·7
Minimum ...	66·6	66·9	65·6	68·3	64·2	62·1
Wet Bulb ...	66·7	68·2	66·5	68·5	66·7	62·8
Temperature in open space :—						
Maximum in the Sun ...	133·2	...	...	...	...	...
Minimum on Grass ...	65·4	...	...	...	...	...
Rainfall (Total) ...	6·82	5·58	2·17	5·66	6·58	10 12
Wind Direction ...	N 88° W	S 69° W	W	S 89° W	N 58° W	S 72° W
Velocity (miles per hour) ...	8	7	6	7	3	...
Cloud in cents ...	93	86	79	88	89	...
Daily Hours of Bright Sunshine.	4·2	...	...	...	...	13

Bangalore,
Dated 29th October 1938.

C. SESHACHAR,
Meteorologist.

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF INSPECTOR OF FACTORIES IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Statement of cotton pressed in the Mysore State for the week ending 21st October 1938.
(Section 5-ii).

Name of the Division or Block	Number of bales pressed: During the week	During the corresponding week of last year	Since the commencement of the season, 1st September 1938	During the corresponding period of last year	Remarks
1	2	3	4	5	6
Mysore State	196	50	801	730	

BANGALORE,
Dated 26th October 1938.

V. VENKATACHAR,
For *Chief Inspector of Factories.*

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